



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) | |
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| Akira FUNAKOSHI et al. |) | |
| | : | Group Art Unit: 3724 |
| Application No.: 08/801,464 |) | |
| | : | Confirmation No.: 6299 |
| Filed: February 18, 1997 |) | |
| | : | Allowed: February 24, 2006 |
| For: SUBSTRATE CUTTING METHOD |) | |
| AND SUBSTRATE CUTTING | : | March 17, 2006 |
| APPARATUS |) | |

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LETTER TRANSMITTING CORRECTED REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEET

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is one (1) formal drawing sheet, corrected Figures 6A and 6B, to be substituted for the corresponding drawing sheet currently on file in the above-identified application.

Figure 6A incorporates the change required by the Examiner in the Notice of Allowability dated February 24, 2006. Specifically, Applicants have labeled element 111 with a lead line.

Favorable consideration is requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to our address listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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